# St. Peter Catholic Church

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# NOVEMBER 18, 2018 THIRTY-THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

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#### **MASSES:**

Daily Mass: Mon thru Fri 9:00 am Saturday Vigil Mass, 5:30 pm Sunday Morning Masses 8:30 am & 11:00 am Holy Days: Vigil Mass 6 pm

#### **CONFESSIONS:**

Saturday: 4:45 pm to 5:15 pm (or by appointment)

Holy Day Mass 9 am

BAPTISMS, FUNERALS and WEDDINGS (by appointment)

# A Prayer for Thanksgiving

Loving God,

We turn our hearts to you on this day for giving thanks, mindful of your many gifts.

For each one, we are grateful.

For each one, we are blessed.

For each one we are opened to the abundance of your love.

May this Thanksgiving Day offer a reminder to be generous with others, as you are with us.

We praise you.

We rejoice in you.

We give you thanks.

Amen.

## All Are Welcome

No matter what your present status in the Catholic Church,
No matter what your current family or marital situation,
No matter what your past or present religious situation,
No matter your personal history, age, background, race etc.,
No matter what your own self-image or self esteem,
YOU are Invited, Welcomed, Accepted, Loved and Respected
here at St. Peter Catholic Church.



#### Mass Intentions

Saturday, November 17, 2018

5:30 PM in Thanksgiving by Maria Reinstein

Sunday, November 18, 2018

8:30 AM S.I. Jackie Snyder (Birthday) by John & Pauline Snyder

11:00 AM +Michael Rizzo by

Ruth Rizzo & Richard Gambescia

Monday November 19, 2018

9:00 AM

Tuesday November 20, 2018

9:00 AM + Oette Family by Jim Oettle

Wednesday November 21, 2018

9:00 AM + Richard Conrady by Olga Conrady

Thursday (Thanksgiving Day) November 22, 2018

9:00 AM S.I. Burns and Mescal Families by Margaret & Jim Burns

+Rex Schulz II by Carol Schulz

Friday November 23, 2018

9:00 AM S.I. John Snyder by Jim Oettle

Saturday November 24, 2018

5:30 PM +Anton Wiefkers by Sue Cummins

Sunday November 25, 2018

8:30 AM S.I. John Snyder by St. Peter Parishioners 11:00 AM +Rick McCusker by the Knights of Columbus

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## This Week In Our Parish

#### Monday, November 19

Daily Mass: 9:00 a.m. Food Bank: 9:30am-noon

#### Tuesday, November 20

Daily Mass: 9:00 a.m.

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament after Mass until 11am

Food Bank: 9:30 am-noon

#### Wednesday, November 21

Daily Mass: 9:00 a.m. Food Bank: 9:30 am-noon

#### Thanksgiving Day Thursday, November 22

Daily Mass: 9:00 am
Office closed

#### Friday, November 23

9am Communion Service Office closed

#### Saturday, November 24

Vigil Mass: 5:30 pm

Sunday, November 25

Masses at 8:30 am & 11:00 am

## Daily Mass Readings

**Monday, Nov. 19: Revelation 1:1-4; 2:1-5;** 

**Luke 18: 35-43** 

Tuesday, Nov. 20: Revelation 3:1-6, 14-22;

Luke 19: 1-10

Wednesday, Nov. 21: Revelation 4:1-11;

Luke 19:11-28

Thursday, Nov. 22: Revelation 5:1-10;

Luke 19:41-44:

Friday, Nov. 23: Revelation 10:8-11;

Luke 19: 45-48



The Knights of Columbus will be selling Christmas cards after all Masses this week-end as long as their supply of cards lasts.



#### It's Jesse Tree time again!

Starting Thanksgiving Day, our Jesse tree will be up. We reach out to School Counselors at Sugarloaf School and Big Pine

Academy and ask them to help identify needy families in their school. These families fill out forms listing items of clothing or toys that their children would like for Christmas.

We then put each wish on a paper Christmas ornament on our tree.

If you would like to participate, please take an ornament and purchase the item on the ornament (please—new gifts only), wrap it, re-attach the tag and return it to the church by December 15/16.

We also accept cash donations that are used to purchase items that are not chosen from the tree.

Thank you for helping to make Christmas happier for needy families in our community!





Join the Choir Today!!

If you love to sing and/or play an instrument and would like to join us—we rehearse every other Thursday at 6:30 p.m. in the Ministry Center. We welcome seasonal as well as year-round parishioners. Talk to any choir member after Mass or call the office at 305-872-2537.

#### **Prayer for Protection from Hurricanes**

God our Father,
Creator and Lord of the Universe,
you have set the earth on its foundation
and all the elements of nature
obey your commands.
We humbly beseech you
to keep us safe from all dangers
and calm the storms that threaten us.

May we be secure
in your loving protection
and serve you always
with grateful hearts.
We ask this through
Our Lord Jesus Christ, Your Son
who lives and reigns with you
and the Holy Spirit;
one God forever and ever.

Amen

Please let us know in the office if you or someone else is homebound and would like to receive the Eucharist at home.

Call the office at 305-872-2537.



## Thank You

FOR SHARING YOUR TIME, TALENT AND TREASURE

#### Collections for the Weekend:

November 10-11, 2018

1st: \$2,911.00

2nd: \$ 734.00

(Rebuilding Fund)

Direct Debit: \$ 405.00

#### **GRIEF SUPPORT**

If you are dealing with the loss of a loved one, grief support is available.

Contact Mary Quirk at 305-744-0139, or through the church office at 305-872-2537.

#### St. Peter Catholic Church Website

Visit the St. Peter Church website at <a href="http://www.stpeterbpk.org">http://www.stpeterbpk.org</a>. Click on the Photos tab or follow us on Facebook to look at the photos taken at recent events at St. Peter Church!



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We ask your prayers for Parishioners:

Roger Lederer, Guenther Glatt, Rachel Miles, Mary Doris Scheidell, Beatriz Mendoza, Kim Padron, Doug Krout, Bill Carver, William Kin Koeber, Bob Harrell, Mrs. Pfeifer, LouAnn Lansing, Kevin Kenny, Sue Cherrybon, Don Stulken, Lani Boski, Rosemary Farrell, John Mescal Mary Quirk, Ismael Lopez. Jorge Ramos and John Snyder.

#### **Those Serving Us:**

#### Saturday November 17: 5:30 Mass:

Lector:

EME: Deacon Jack, Pat Greeley, Mike Quirk

Altar Server: Hannah Burke

Sunday November 18: 8:30 Mass:

Lector: Linda McCarthy

EME:

Altar Servers: Emilia Havlicek, Samson Fernsel

#### **Sunday November 18: 11:am Mass:**

Lector:

EME: Rosalinda Hally

Altar Servers: Hallie Chandonnet

Thanksgiving Day, November 22: 9am Mass

<u>Lector:</u> Kelly Threadgill <u>EME:</u> Roberta Castillo



#### 50 / 50 Weekly Jackpot

No winner this week. #612 was drawn and did not play. The Jackpot now rolls over to \$262.50.

Part-time Residents can still participate year round by using Direct Debit.

Process: Deposit your envelope in either the first or second collection at Mass if you don't use

**Direct Debit.** 

Criteria: The envelope must include \$5.00 cash or check and your name and the date on the outside as well, please—this is in addition to your regular offering.



Thanks to all who contributed to the great success of our Boondocks Fundraiser! It was a blast! When we reconcile our finances at the end of the month, we will publish in the bulletin a detailed account of all the financial aspects of Boondocks——-the names of our sponsors, those who won the auction items, list of volunteers, etc.



#### St. Peter Community Food Bank

Summer Hours: Monday, Tuesday, and Wednesday 9:30 am to Noon

We are in need of canned tuna, Vienna sausage and hearty canned soups (pull-top cans are especially appreciated).

THANK YOU also to our parishioners and friends for your generous donations!

We are grateful and appreciate your continued support.

# The Feast of the Presentation of the Blessed Virgin Mary November 21

When Mary was asked to be the mother of the Savior, she was completely free to accept or reject the offer. Her response, "Let it be done to me: " was a great act of faith. Because she did not understand what was happening, she must have known that there would be difficulties ahead. She replied "yes" to the angel's announcement and agreed to become the mother of Jesus, and the Church has declared Mary to be the Mother of God; Because she was the first to say yes to the Messiah, the Church has declared her to be the Mother of the Church. The feast of the Presentation of Mary dates back to the 6th century in the East and the 15th century in the West. It is based on an ancient tradition that says Mary was taken to the temple in Jerusalem when she was 3 years old and dedicated to God. What we celebrate on this day is the fact that God chose to dwell in Mary in a very special way. In response, Mary placed her whole self at the service of God. Every moment since your Baptism, God invites you to be open to his grace and dedicate yourself to him as Mary did. (Loyolapress.com)

#### Saint Elizabeth of Hungary Feast Day November 22

Elizabeth was born in 1207. Her father was Alexander II, the king of Hungary. Her marriage was arranged when she was just a

child, and at age 4, she was sent to Thuringia for education and eventual marriage. When she was 14, she marred Louis of Thuringia. They loved each other deeply and had 3 children. According to legend, Elizabeth went out with loaves of bread to feed the poor. Members of her court, other than her husband, resented her generosity. In 1227, Louis went to fight in the Crusades and died on the way. Her in-laws accused her of mismanaging the finances of the kingdom and forced her out of the palace. When her husband's friends returned from the Crusades, they helped restore her to her rightful place in the palace, and she increased her service to others. She was 24 when she died and was canonized only 4 years later. She is the patroness of all Catholic Charities and the Third Order Franciscans. (Loyolapress.com)





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